House Resolution No. 1738

Whereas, as the 2007-2008 school year draws to a close, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives pause to applaud the career achievements of those individuals who are retiring from the field of education; and

Whereas, the Hazelwood School District is losing a valuable member of its faculty on June 2, 2008, with the retirement of Cheryl Henningsen who has devoted several years of her life to the education of this state's young citizens through tireless endeavors as an educator; and

Whereas, Cheryl Henningsen has taught first grade for twenty-seven years at Hazelwood, where she is held in high esteem as an educator who demonstrates considerable competence and remarkable degrees of compassion and understanding; and

Whereas, deeply committed to the great cause of learning, Cheryl Henningsen taught in the Morgan County R-I School District for one year prior to assuming her responsibilities with Hazelwood; and

Whereas, Cheryl Henningsen has watched her pupils grow, develop, and mature through the knowledge she has imparted to them both as a teacher and as a friend; and

Whereas, named Emerson Teacher of the Year 2004-2005, Cheryl Henningsen earned a Bachelor's degree at Central Missouri State University in 1976, a Master's degree at the University of Missouri-St. Louis in 1985, and Reading Certification at Lindenwood University in 2000; and

Whereas, Cheryl Henningsen has been blessed with the love and support of a wonderful family whose members include her husband, Blaine Henningsen; and two sons, Adam Henningsen and Eric Henningsen:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join the Hazelwood School District in expressing appreciation for the unparalleled service that Cheryl Henningsen has rendered to Missouri's children and in wishing her the long, fruitful, and enjoyable retirement that she so justly deserves; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Cheryl Henningsen, as a measure of our esteem for her.

Offered by	
	Representative Clint Zweifel
	District No. 78

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 1738, adopted April 10, 2008.